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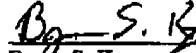
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Thomas FOXEN, et al.) Art Unit: 3728
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For: ARTICLE OF FOOTWEAR HAVING A)
FLUID-FILLED BLADDER WITH A)
REINFORCING STRUCTURE)

AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed January 25, 2006, please amend the above-captioned application as follows: